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TAGS: MASS, UY, US

SUBJECT: MILITARY SALES

REFERENCE: MONTEVIDEO 922

1. AMMUNITION SALE DR. RAVENNA MENTIONED ( PARA 2 REFTEL) SEEMS TO BE FMS CASE 51 WHICH WAS APPROVED BY DEPARTMENT OF STATE ON FEB. 12, 1973, AND IMPLEMENTATION BY MEANS OF DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE STANDARD FORM DD 1513 QUOTE AMENDMENT TO OFFER AND ACCEPTANCE END QUOTE, IS NOW UNDER DISCUSSION BETWEEN DEPARTMENT OF ARMY AND URUGUYAN EMBASSY HERE.

2. DD FORM 1513 HAS A NUMBER OF CONDITIONS PRINTED ON THE REVERSE WHICH CORRESPOND TO LANGUAGE IN THE FOREIGN MILITARY SALES ACT, AS AMENDED. CONDITION B-7 SEEMS TO BE WHAT DR. RAVENNA IS REFERRING TO: VIZ: ( THE PURCHASER) SHALL NOT TRANSFER TITLE TO OR POSSESSION OF THE DEFENSE ARTICLES... TO ANY PERSON OR ORGANIZATION... OR OTHER GOVERNMENT UNLESS THE WRITTEN CONSENT OF THE USG HAS FIRST BEEN OBTAINED. B-8 PROVIDES ( THE PURCHASER) SHALL... USE THE ITEMS SOLD... FOR INTERNAL SECURITY, SELF DEFENSE AND/

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OR CIVIL ACTION... THE SAME CONDITIONS APPLY TO OUR FMS SALES TO ALL COUNTRIES AND NOT ONLY URUGUAY, OF COURSE. FORM DD 1513 WHICH IS USED FOR ALL FMS CASES ( ABOUT 3000/ YEAR WORLDWIDE) IS PREPARED EITHER BY DOD OR THE MILGROUP.

3. THUS, WE SEE NO DIFFICULTY WITH THE SALE OF THE ELEVEN MILLION ROUNDS OF AMMUNITION DR. RAVENNA HAS REFERRED TO AND NO SPECIAL CONDITIONS ARE BEING PROVIDED FOR OR IMPOSED UPON URUGUAY. WE THINK THAT IT IS IMPORTANT THAT HE UNDERSTAND THIS IN ORDER TO CALM THE SENSITIVITIES OF GENERAL CHAIPE POSSE AND OTHERS WHO MAY BE LOOKING FOR A PROBLEM THAT DOESN' T APPEAR TO EXIST.

4. REGARDING FIELD JACKETS: CLOTHING ITEMS ARE CONSIDERED " CONSUMABLES", AS ANTICIPATED UTILITY LESS THAN THE EIGHT YEAR TERM OF PROPOSED CREDIT, AND THEREFORE NOT NORMALLY APPROVED FOR FMS CREDIT. HOWEVER, A SPECIAL EXCEPTION WAS MADE IN THIS CASE. PURCHASE WAS APPROVED UNDER FY 72 CREDIT AGREEMENT PROVIDED THAT THEY WERE TO BE OF US MANUFACTURE. POLICY IS TO PROVIDE CREDIT ONLY FOR ITEMS OF US MANUFACTURE. CONCERNING MVD 1047, DEPARTMENT WAS IN PROCESS OF NOT RPT NOT APPROVING FIELD JACKET REQUEST BECAUSE JACKETS WERE TO HAVE BEEN OF FOREIGN MANUFACTURE. BECAUSE JACKETS WILL NOW BE OF US MANUFACTURE, THE REQUEST WILL BE APPROVED. ROGERS

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